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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire Chief Clerk & Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of Proposed Electric

Transportation Pilot and An Accounting Order to Defer Capital and Operating

Expenses

Docket No: 2018-321-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Duke Energy Carolina's ("DEC") filed a request to modify its residential EV charging program with the Public Service Commission ("Commission") on January 7, 2019. The Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") requests that the Commission abstain from ruling on this request until such time as ORS notifies the Commission that it has completed its discovery and review.

Please contact counsel for DEC and myself if you have any questions regarding this request.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

cc: Joseph Melchers, Esquire (via E-mail)

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All Parties of Record (via E-mail)